## BIOSKILLS LAB 2024

## SBMT 2024 Annual World Congress

## CEREBROVASCULAR AND SKULLBASE BIOSKILLS LAB















Society for Brain Mapping and Therapeutics (SBMT)
Course on Neurosurgical Techniques

**Room: External Campus - BioSkills Lab** 

## Saturday, March 16th | Separate Ticketed Event for non-SBMT Members

Cerebrovascular and Skullbase Hands-On Workshop (Cadaver demonstration labs)

Module 1 8:30 AM - 9:45 AM Extracranial - Intracranial Bypass

Featuring Synaptive Medical: Modus X Exoscope

## **Faculty:**

- Abilash Haridas, MD, FAANS
- Akitsugu Kawashima, MD

## **Course Description:**

Extracranial to intracranial (EC-IC) bypass is a surgical procedure to increase cerebral blood flow.

This procedure entails connecting a branch of the external carotid artery (usually the superficial temporal artery) to a branch of the internal carotid artery (usually the middle cerebral artery), either directly or via a vein graft.

## **Technique**

A craniotomy is performed to expose the intracranial vessels and the location of obstruction or giant aneurysm.

The donor artery is exposed (scalp or neck). If needed, a vein is harvested from the leg.

The anastamosis is performed under the operating microscope/exoscope.

Once complete, the bypass is examined in the operating room with an angiogram.

## **Course Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this course, the participant should be able to:

- Discuss the latest advances and techniques in skull base neurosurgery
- Describe treatment strategies for neurovascular disorders and the relevant techniques in cerebrovascular neurosurgery.

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Module 3 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM Skullbase Endoscopic Approaches

Featuring Stryker Navigation System and Endoscopic Tower (Kassam Set)

#### Faculty

Amin Kassam, MD

## **Course Description:**

EXPANDED ENDONASAL APPROACH TO THE VENTRAL SKULL BASE

Module 5A 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM Open Skullbase Approach A

### Faculty:

- John S. Yu, MD
- · Abhidah Shah, MS, MCh

Module 5B 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM Open Skullbase Approach B

### **Faculty**:

- Akitsugu Kawashima, MD
- Abilash Haridas, MD, FAANS